THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI ARVIND NETAM): (a) The target set for production of foodgrains during the Eighth Five Year Plan was 210 million tonnes.

(b) The achievement in the production of foodgrains during 1994-95 is likely to be about 189.8 million tonnes as against the targets of 189.0 million tonnes.

(c) For increasing the productivety and production of foodgrains, crop oriented production programme based on specific Crop Based Cropping System viz. Integrated Cereal Development Programme Wheat, Rice and Coarse Cereals; and National Pulses Development Programme (NPDP) are being implemented during the Eighth Plan Period. Besides programmes for increasing the use of fertiliser in low consumption area and extension of irrigation facilities are being implemented to improve production of crops.

Funds for the Promotion of Ground Nut Areas of Gujarat

641. SHRIMATI ANANDIBEN JETHA BHAI PATEL: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the details of funds allocated and released for the promotion of groundnut areas of Gujarat State during the last three years;

(b) the allocation of land where the said amount was spent and the area brought under cultivation in the State, district-wise;

(c) the details of the machinery set up to monitor the actual expenses in this regard and the number of farmers who have actually benefited under the scheme; and

(d) the total production of Groundnut in the State during the above period, year-wise and the target fixed during 1995-96 for the production of groundnut?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI S. KRISHNA KUMAR): (a) The funds allocated and released for the promotion of Oilseeds including groundnut areas of Gujarat State under the Centrally Sponsored Oilseeds Production Programme (OPP) during the last three years are as under:—

(Rs. in lakhs)

Year	Funds allocated	Funds released
1992-92	725.00	725.00
1993-94	1139.249	931.449
1994-95	948.750	500.000

(b) A statement is enclosed. (*See below)*

(c) The State Department of Agriculture is the implementing agency of Oilseeds Production Programme (OPP) and the scheme is monitored both by the State and the Centre.

The total number of farmers benefitted under the scheme is indicated below:—

Year	Total number of farmers
1992-93	Not Available
1993-94	316986
1994-95	215427

(d) The total production of groundnut in the State of Gujarat during the last three years is as follows:—

Year	Production ('000 tonnes)
1992-93	2068.4
1993-94	676.6
1994-95	2369.0 (tentative)

The target of production for groundnut fixed for the State during 1995-96 is 1755.00 thousand tonnes.

Statement

(Area in 00 ha.)

Sl. No.	District	1992-93	1993-94	1994-95
1.	Ahmedabad	21	6	3
2.	Banaskantha	26	28	21
3.	Baroda	220	217	69
4.	Broach	107	110	36
5.	Bulsar	16	12	5
6.	Dangs	10	11	33
7.	Gandhinagar	2	2	—
8.	Kaira	145	139	24
9.	Mehsana	23	32	23
10.	Panch Mahal	189	186	67
11.	Sabarkantha	387	382	308
12.	Surat	259	221	112
13.	Amreli	2890	3276	3189
14.	Bhavnagar	2180	2488	2100
15.	Jamnagar	3335	3936	3572
16.	Junagarh	3816	4017	3927
17.	Kutch	925	541	627
18.	Rajkot	3912	4632	4202
19.	Surendranagar	377	294	245
	Total Gujarat State:	18840	20530	18563

Misuse of Government Vehicles by CPWD Officials

642. DR. RANBIR SINGH: Will the Minister of URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the officers of CPWD residing outside Delhi use Government vehicles given to them for performing their day to day duties, for dropping and picking up at rail/road-heads on regular basis;

(b) if so, the reasons for utter misuse of Government property by such-officers; and

(c) the action Government proposes to take to check the misuse and to book the guilty officers?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN AFFAIRS AND EMPLOYMENT (SHRI P. K. THUNGON): (a) No, Sir.

(b) and (c) Do not arise.

Rehabilitation of Earthquake victims in Uttarkashi

643. SHRIMATI MALTI SHARMA: SHRI RAJ NATH SINGH:

Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage of the total earthquake victims of Uttarkashi rehabilitated so far;

(b) whether the expenditure incurred thereon has been assessed;

(c) if so, the details thereof and if not the reasons therefor;

(d) whether Government have received any complaints regarding mis-utilisation of funds meant for their rehabilitation;

(e) if so, the details thereof; and

(f) the reaction of the Central Government thereto?